

INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

James P. Stark Deputy Commissioner of Innovative Project Delivery



Jim Stark was appointed in September 2015 as Deputy Commissioner of Innovative Project Delivery with the Indiana Finance Authority. In this role, he is primarily responsible for directing and managing all of the IFA's transportation related public-private partnership projects, including the implementation and on-going management of any associated tolling of the projects, as well as planning and policy functions associated with those projects.

From January 2013 to his current appointment, Jim served as Deputy Commissioner of Innovative Project Delivery for INDOT. In this position, he managed the delivery of several of INDOT's major construction projects - including the Ohio River Bridges and Interstate 69 - in the most cost-effective and efficient manner for Indiana taxpayers.

From August 2010 to December 2012, Jim served as INDOT's Deputy Commissioner for Capital Program Management, where he oversaw the costs and delivery of the department's capital program while guiding the program's project management team. He also developed INDOT's growing public-private partnership (P3) program of innovative funding solutions and project delivery methods.

Jim also served as Deputy District Commissioner of INDOT's Seymour District from January 2009 to August 2010, where he streamlined district functions and enhanced many areas.

Jim has nearly three decades of private-sector experience in business and project management. Prior to joining INDOT in 2009, he served as a regional business analyst for American Management, and before that he was owner and CEO of Mastercraft Memorial Services.

Jim has a Bachelor of Arts degree in industrial design from Purdue University.

Jim lives in Indianapolis. In his spare time, he enjoys golfing and spending time with family and friends.

